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REPLY TO NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE REPLY (NONPROVISIONAL) AND STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f)

Dear Sir:

The applicant hereby replies to the "Notice to Incomplete Reply (Nonprovisional)," mailed July 12, 2001. A copy of the Notice is enclosed. In reply to the Notice, the applicant submits a paper sequence listing and disk copy of the sequence listing.

STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f)

Enclosed is a computer readable form of the SEQUENCE LISTING for the above-identified application submitted under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(e). A paper copy of the SEQUENCE LISTING has been submitted under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(c).

I hereby state that the contents of the disk and the paper copy are the same. 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f).

The paper and disk copies of the SEQUENCE LISTING include no new matter. 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(g).

No fee is believed due with this submission, however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency of fees to deposit account no. 22-0277.

Respectfully submitted,

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